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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Yasuhiro NISHITANI et al.

Title: CEPHEM COMPOUNDS HAVING BROAD ANTIBACTERIAL SPECTRUM

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Sir:

This paper responds to the Non-Final Office Action dated March 22, 2007 and a personal interview conducted on June 12, 2007 by Applicants' representative Alexey Saprinin (Reg. # 56,439) with Examiner Mark L. Berch. Applicants have enclosed with the communication a petition for two month extension of time and a credit card payment form for \$450 to make this response timely. Applicants have also enclosed Declaration under 37 CFR § 1.132 by Yoshinori Yamano. **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document. **Remarks** begin on page 12 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows:

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